

Safety Committee
April 16, 2007
6:00 PM

MINUTES

Mr. Donahue called the meeting to order. Present for roll call was Mr. Paini, and Mr. Donahue. Also in attendance were Jennifer Caswell; Community Center and Mayor Miller and other members of council.

Mr. Paini moved to excuse Dr. Bender and was seconded by Mr. Donahue. All ayes, motion carried.

VOTE: **AYES:** **Mr. Paini, and Mr. Donahue.**
 NAYS:

Approval of Minutes:

Dr. Bender moved to approve the March 19, 2007 Safety Committee minutes and was seconded by Mr. Donahue.

VOTE: **AYES:** **Mr. Paini, and Mr. Donahue.**
 NAYS:

Resolved Items:

02-07 An Ordinance to make No Parking on the North side of Canal Street
Forwarded to full council.

06-18 Police Contract
Forwarded to full council.

New Items for Discussion:

03-07 Lighting at Dietz & Washington and Thrush & Groveport Roads

Mr. Peoples stated they have proposals from South Central Power to have the lights put in. It will be around \$4,000 and we would have to do some work ourselves by providing a trench for them to put the electric down into. There is a line item for street lights, but it is mainly for all of the streets lights that get hit out on Waterloo Street. This year there have been 4 lights hit, the line item is around \$20,000 and there is currently about \$8,000 left. It costs around \$3,000 to replace every light that gets hit and the \$4,000 would have to come out of this line item for the street lighting. Discussion ensued.

Dr. Bender arrived to meeting during Mr. People's presentation.

Mr. Paini moved to provide lighting at Dietz & Washington and Thrush & Groveport road and was seconded by Dr. Bender. Committee also agreed that if they do exceed the budgeted amount in the appropriations that the committee would recommend amending the appropriation to full council. All ayes, motion carried.

VOTE: **AYES:** **Mr. Paini, Dr. Bender, and Mr. Donahue.**
 NAYS:

Pended Items:

05-11 Dietz Drive at Gender Road

Mayor Miller stated that he spoke with Steve Farst and the question that came up is what is the desired intent of a center line. Discussion ensued about the desired intent, cost and the repeated cost if we have to repaint. Mr. Peoples stated they can look at it as an add on the 2007 street project and if there is some money left available for it. There are some very small additional projects repair projects at Washington and Dietz and they have look at where they are at the end of the contract. Mr. Peoples will look and see if this can go into the 2007 budget and if cannot be done this year they will get it into the 2008 budget. He will provide the committee with his findings next month.

Dr. Bender moved to have thermoplastic striping on Dietz Road and was seconded by Mr. Paini. All ayes, motion carried.

VOTE: AYES: Dr. Bender, Mr. Paini, and Mr. Donahue.
NAYS:

05-13 Pfeifer Drive Request for Speed Bumps.

Stripes are down; they are now observing the area to see if this helps the speeding problem and they will do another speed count if they borrow Violet Townships equipment again.

New Items for Discussion:

Fairfield County Sheriff's Report:

Full report will be given at full council.

Community Center Report:

Art in the Park begins May 4th from 7 to 9 pm and there will be five this year instead of four. The last Art in the Park will be on Saturday September 8th and they will tie it into the see Winchester photo competition.

Old/New Business:

Nothing at that time.

Adjournment:

Mr. Paini moved to adjourn this meeting of the safety committee and was seconded by Dr. Bender.

VOTE: AYES: Mr. Paini, Dr. Bender, and Mr. Donahue.
NAYS:

Meeting adjourned